

REMARKS

Claims 1 and 3-7 are pending in the application. Reconsideration and allowance of all of the pending claims is respectfully requested.

In the Advisory Action issued June 4, 2007, the Examiner indicated that the amendments to claims 1 and 5 filed in the reply dated May 22, 2007 raise new issues that require further search and consideration. Accordingly, Applicants concurrently file a request for Continued Examination (RCE). Entry and consideration of the amendment and remarks filed on May 22, 2007 is therefore respectfully requested.

The Examiner further comments in the Advisory Action at page 2 that support for the added limitation "more than 70% by weight of perfluorocyclopentene" has not been found in the specification. Applicants respectfully submit that the paragraph beginning at page 20, line 16 of the specification supports the amendment to claim 1:

When a perfluorocycloolefin and a linear or branched perfluoroolefin are used in combination, a particularly excellent effect of preventing moisture can be obtained when the amount of the linear or branched perfluoroolefin is, in general, 30% by weight or less and preferably 20% by weight or less based on the amount of the entire perfluoroolefins.

If the linear or branched perfluoroolefin is 30% by weight or less, then it follows that the perfluorocycloolefin must be present at 70% by weight or more. Accordingly, the newly added limitation is supported by the specification as filed and entry of the amendment filed on May 22, 2007 is appropriate and respectfully requested. An early reconsideration and Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

Conclusion


Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a), Applicant(s) respectfully petition(s) for a three (3) month extension of time for filing a reply in connection with the present application, and the required fee of \$1020.00 is attached hereto.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Mark Konieczny (Reg. No. 47,715) at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37.C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.14; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Respectfully submitted,

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